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Subject: Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment

Application 09/769,879 Title: Gravity Balance Frame

Dear Examiner,

This letter is in response to the "Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121)" sent by your office on 08/18/2005 regarding application no. 09/769,879 entitled, "Gravity Balance Frame," from first named inventor Ma-Chi Chen. The notice from your office indicated that the amendments to the claims were not in compliance due to the following reasons:

- Item B. The listing of claims does not include the text of all pending claims (including withdrawn claims).
- Item C. Each claim has not been provided with the proper status identifier, and as such, the individual status of each claim cannot be identified.

Item E. Other.

The document currently being submitted, entitled "Amendments to the Claims," is the amendment to the claims for the invention, "Gravity Balance Frame" with all non-compliant components corrected to be in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121. The amendment to the claims for the invention is on pages 1 and 2 included with this cover letter.

Sincerely,

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